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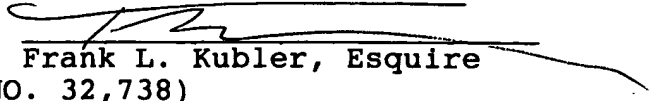
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56 (Duty to Disclose), Applicant hereby submits the following statement.

A generalized discussion of the prior art is explained and deemed relevant as explained by applicant in the specification of the patent application filed herewith.

This information disclosure statement submitted under 37 C.F.R. 1.56 is not to be construed as a representation that additional matter to the examination of this application does not exist, or that the patent citations constitute prior art under 35 U.S.C. 102.

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